

- 1 Read the text. For paragraphs (1-3), choose the right heading (A-D). One heading is extra.

- A Inside the house
- B Visiting times
- C A green home
- D Like a small animal

AN UNUSUAL HOME

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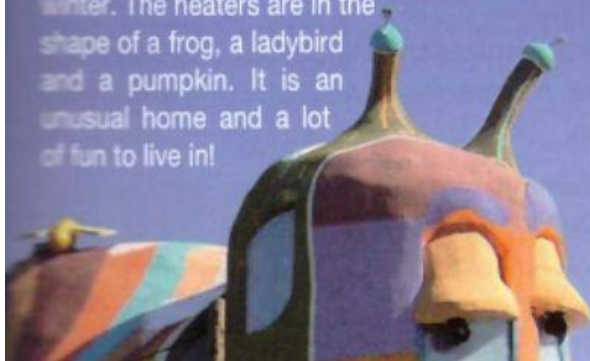
In Sofia, Bulgaria, there is a very unusual family home. It is five floors high and it's in the shape of a snail! Its mouth is a door and its eyes are windows. Its body and big round shell are multi-coloured. The shell is full of little windows, so light can get inside, and on top of it, there's a little ladybird and a butterfly.

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It is a very popular attraction for visitors to Sofia, but it is also the home of one of the world's top architects. There are no corners or straight lines in the building. There are no bricks or concrete blocks. Every building material in the house is light and friendly to the environment.

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The snail house has rooms just like a normal house. There is a living room, bedrooms, a kitchen and a bathroom. It has also got two garages. It has got old-fashioned furniture and funny heaters to keep the house warm in winter. The heaters are in the shape of a frog, a ladybird and a pumpkin. It is an unusual home and a lot of fun to live in!



- 2 Read the email and complete the gaps (1-5) with appropriate words from the box in the correct form. One word is extra.

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From: Claire

To: Sandy

Subject: New flat!

Hi Sandy!

How are you? My family and I are so happy in

1) new flat. It's on the 2) floor of a modern building in the centre of town. It's really big, with two bathrooms and four bedrooms. I am really excited because I have 3) got my own room! It's amazing! It 4) a double bed, a desk and a large bookcase. I've also got some 5) of my favourite actors on the wall. Come visit me soon!

Love,
Claire

Sentence completion

- 3 Choose the correct word.

- 1 The sofa is **in front of/over** the window.
- 2 Can you tell me **how/where** to get to the train station?
- 3 My new house **is/has got** a view of the sea.
- 4 Are **there/they** any parks in the local area?
- 5 My room is **on/in** the second floor of the house.